## **LEGAL NOTICE**

## STATE OF LOUISIANA, OFFICE OF CONSERVATION, BATON ROUGE, LOUISIANA.

In accordance with the laws of the State of Louisiana, and with particular reference to the provisions of Title 30 of Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, a public hearing will be held in the Hearing Room, 1st Floor, LaSalle Building, 617 North 3rd Street, Baton Rouge, Louisiana, at 9:00 a.m., on **TUESDAY, APRIL 9, 2002,** upon the application of **AMERADA HESS CORPORATION.** 

At such hearing the Commissioner of Conservation will consider evidence relative to the issuance of an Order pertaining to the following matters relating to the **Alliance 1 Sand, Reservoir F, Boudreaux Sand, Reservoir I, Stansbury Sand, Reservoir A and D-4 Sand, Reservoir B,** in the Grosse Isle Field, Lafourche Parish, Louisiana.

- 1. To establish rules and regulations and to create a single drilling and production unit for the exploration for and production of gas and condensate from each of the following reservoirs: the Alliance 1 Sand, Reservoir F, the Boudreaux Sand, Reservoir I and the D-4 Sand, Reservoir B, said units to be designated A-1 RF SUA, BODU RI SUA and D-4 RB SUA, all as shown on the plats submitted with the application.
- 2. To dissolve the existing Stansbury Sand, Reservoir A, previously established by Office of Conservation Order No. 447-S-2, effective August 28, 2001, and simultaneously therewith, to create a revised drilling and production unit for the exploration for and production of gas and condensate from the Stansbury sand, Reservoir A, such unit to be designated STAN RA SUA, as shown on the plat submitted with the application.
- 3. To force pool and integrate all separately owned tracts, mineral leases and other property interests within each of the proposed units with each tract sharing in unit production on a surface acreage basis of participation.
- 4. To designate Amerada Hess Corporation as operator of each of the proposed units.
- 5. To designate its Webster No. 1 Well as unit well for the proposed A-1 RF SUA, BOUD RI SUA and D-4 RB SUA.
- 6. To confirm and continue in effective the Amerada Hess Corporation Huntsberry No. 1 well as unit well for the proposed revised STAN RA SUA.
- 7. To provide that any future wells drilled to the Alliance 1 Sand, Reservoir F, the Boudreaux Sand, Reservoir I and the D-4 Sand, Reservoir B, should be exempt from the spacing provisions of Statewide Order No. 29-E.
- 8. To provide that the Commissioner of Conservation should be authorized to reclassify the Alliance 1 Sand, Reservoir F, the Boudreaux Sand, Reservoir I, the Stansbury Sand, Reservoir A and the D-4 Sand, Reservoir B, by Supplemental Order without the necessity of a public hearing if the producing characteristics of such reservoir change and evidence to justify such reclassification is submitted to and accepted by the Commissioner of Conservation.
- 9. Except as otherwise provided herein, to extend to the revised Stansbury Sand, Reservoir A, all pertinent provisions of Office of Conservation Order Nos. 447-S-1 and 447-S-2 and applicable Statewide Orders.

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10. To consider such other matters as may be pertinent.

The Alliance 1 Sand, in the Grosse Isle Field, Vermilion Parish, Louisiana, was previously defined in the 447-B Series of Office of Conservation Orders.

The Boudreaux Sand, Reservoir I, in the Grosse Isle Field, Vermilion Parish, Louisiana, is hereby defined as being that gas and condensate bearing sand encountered between the depths of 14,412' and 14,436' (ELM) in the Amerada Hess Corporation - Webster et al No. 1 Well, located in Section 21, Township 12 South, Range 4 East.

The Stansbury Sand, Reservoir A, in the Grosse Isle Field, Vermilion Parish, Louisiana, was fully defined in Office of Conservation Order No. 447-S-1, effective November 14, 2000.

The D-4 Sand, Reservoir B, in the Grosse Isle Field, Vermilion Parish, Louisiana, is hereby defined as being that gas and condensate bearing sand encountered between the depths of 14,674' and 14,711' (ELM) in the Amerada Hess Corporation - Webster et al No. 1 Well, located in Section 21, Township12 South, Range 4 East.

Plats are available for inspection in the Office of Conservation in **Baton Rouge** and **Lafayette**, Louisiana or may be found at the following site:

www.dnr.state.la.us/CONS/CONSEREN/hearings/pubhearings.htm.

All parties having interest therein shall take notice thereof.

BY ORDER OF:

FELIX J. BOUDREAUX COMMISSIONER OF CONSERVATION

Baton Rouge, La 2/22/02;2/27/02 L dpe

IF ACCOMMODATIONS ARE REQUIRED UNDER AMERICANS WITH DISABILITIES ACT, PLEASE ADVISE THE OFFICE OF CONSERVATION - ENGINEERING DIVISION AT P. O. BOX 94275, BATON ROUGE, LA 70804-9275 IN WRITING WITHIN TEN (10) WORKING DAYS OF THE HEARING DATE.